

Kids learning fire safety



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Camp Doodles director (in back) Veronica Cowen and Scott McIlvain, of fire-safety program First Alert, show camp-goers how to use a fire extinguisher. More than 120 children, ages 5 to 11, at Camp Doodles learned about and practiced a home escape plan and other life-saving measures. The event, held last Thursday, was part of a national home safety campaign to raise awareness in the Bay Area about the importance of fire and carbon monoxide safety.